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RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

[XXX] A CHECK FOR THE FEES INDICATED BELOW, BASED UPON THE APPLICANT'S small ENTITY STATUS, ACCOMPANIES THIS RESPONSE.	
PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME (1251/2251)(1252/2252)(1253/2253)(1254/2254)(1255/2255)	\$555.00
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION(1801/2801)	\$405.00
TOTAL	\$960.00

In response to the official action mailed March 10, 2010, the Applicant is petitioning for a three month extension of term, attached hereto, thereby extending the term for response to and including September 10, 2010. Please enter the following before reconsideration of this application.

In the Claims:

Please cancel claim 33, without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter therein, in favor of new claim 38, and amend claims 27 and 32 as follows in which the claim additions are shown by underlining and/or the claim deletions are shown by either strikeout or brackets. Please enter the amended claims into the record of this case.

1-14. (CANCELED)

15. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A surgical warming blanket arranged for use during surgery on a patient and comprising at least two layers capable of forming a hollow air space between the two layers for receiving warmed air from a heating unit,